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In re application of)

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Serial No. 08/739,622)

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APPARATUS FOR MATCHING X-RAY)

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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

1. (Amended) Apparatus for automatically matching a portal
image with a simulation image, said apparatus comprising: